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ROSA AND HER SUITORS.

"And why are you thinking of going so soothe irray?" she asked, in a low tone, and with a

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the fiscination of their oasy, careless, roving tife, as well as the affection that bound them together. But, at all events, the hoy had his instantentic elices of personal freedom and individual responsibility so confirmed as to make a deep impression upon his mind, and trouble his life for a long time afterwards. Mr. Waring had reached New York, on his return from Church in Whathington, whose sermon appears free-see that their rights have hear grossly cleaned, and was naking a short stay in that.

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MR. CONWAY'S SERMON.

Mr. Couway, the pastor of the Unitarian Clurch is Washington, whose sermon appears on our fard page, is a nephew of Judge Daniels, of the Supremo Court; a Wirginian, kalonging to a family of extreme Pro-Slavery views. A young man of twenty-six, he is distinguished by his boldness, his independence, his originality, and general reading. The sermon, delivered in one of the most conservative churches in Washington, is, under the eiterunstances, an extraordinary one, and will he read everywhere with nordney distrements.

GOVERNOR SEWARD'S SPEECH.

Read Governor Seward's able Speech on the fourth page of the Era. It presents with great force the American view of the Central American question. We do not think the President will greatly relish it.

THE GREAT WORK BEFORE US—THE THING TO BE DONE.

To BE DONE.

Is there a Republican in the country who would feel the slightest concern in relation to the struggle now going on in Kansas, were the Presidential powers lodged in the hands of Seward, Chase, King, or Wilmot? Would there be danger of forway from Missouri? Danger of forcign interference with the freedom of electives in Means of

ELECTION OF PRINTER IN THE SENATE.

Schooler, of that State, who, in his paper, the Clinetinnati Gazetle, has shown a disposition to make Republicanism tributary to Know Nothingsims, was nominated for Printer.

We shall patiently await the greated elimination of a Republican Party in Congress, from the incongruous materials which have been thrown together; and, meantline, we invoke the true friends of Freedom not to indulge in certawagent hopes.

TUESDAY IN CONGRESS.

Mr. Foot made a speech in the Senate is apport of the American view of Central American affairs.

In the House, Mr. Glossbrenner was re-elected, Mr. Darling of New York, was chosen Door keeper, and Mr. Morris, Postmaster.

Mr. Cullon, elected Clerk, is a "South American," "Messrs. Darling and Morris are "American," whether North or Sonth, or between, we know not. Mr. Glossbrenne is Administration.

All parties seem to have heen accommodating and accommodated.

Without electing a Printer, the House adjourned.

CLOSE OF THE STRUGGLE.

Last Saturday evening, the telegraph announced to the country the election of N. P.
BAYES, the Republican candidate for the Speakership of the House. Before comment on this event, destined to be historical, we must review briefly the important proceedings of the House for several days preceding.
MOVEMENT OF RULE OFF MR BANKS.
Thesday, 29th, Mr. Whitney, (K. N.,) of New York, introduced a proposition to report a resolution for the election of — Speaker of the House—the Dank to be filled by any name that might be moved, with the condition that

ASSAULT ON MR. GREELEY.

fectual efforts to elect a Speaker, in which the votes have been divided among Mr. Banka, Mr. Belleshadson, and Mr. Fuller, man have made it manifest to those gentlemen and this Congress that neither of them is the choice of a majority of the members of this House for its presiding officer, and that a longer persistence on the Green of the Congress of the Congress

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